

This week in technology, open source, and Linux!

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Elections today

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Contributing to the weekly rundown

- ▶ Have something you'd like to talk about or see on the weekly meetings?
- ▶ Feel free to add it to the weekly rundown!
- ▶ Repository is available on GitHub.

Android Studio 2.0 Released

- ▶ Instant Run: Changes to a running app appear live.
- ▶ Faster Android emulator and adb.
- ▶ Cloud Test Lab: Test apps on a wide range of physical devices easily.

GitLab Pages

- ▶ Static sites for GitLab projects, groups or users.
- ▶ Supports Jekyll, Middleman, Hexo, Pelican, etc...
- ▶ Can host websites for free on GitLab.com

Nest Discontinues Revolv

- ▶ After buying Revolv back in 2014, Nest is disabling the devices as of May 15th in favor of the Works with Nest system.
- ▶ This has sparked controversy since the device offered a “Lifetime Subscription.”
- ▶ Those who choose to tinker with these devices and keep them alive operate in a legal grey area.

Microsoft Bot Framework

- ▶ Open source platform for making chatbots for sms, Skype, Slack, and more.
- ▶ Uses node.js on the backend, only supports Windows (at the moment).
- ▶ Some sample bots available, such as Bing Image Bot, Caption Bot, and MurphyBot.

Tacobot

- ▶ Taco Bell is testing a Slack bot for ordering food or just talking about things.
- ▶ You can join a waitlist to try it out.

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- ▶ Anything we missed?
- ▶ Feel free to share!
- ▶ BuckeyeLAN Saturday in Ohio Union Cartoon Room Noon-11 PM
- ▶ http://go.osu.edu/osc_irc